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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND STATEMENT

After the continuation application, as requested by the attached letter, has received a filing date, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Abstract - Upper right hand corner - after "7025" insert
-- A --.

Page 1, line 3, insert -- This application is a continuation application of copending application Serial No.

07/030,658, filed March 25, 1987 --.

In the Claims

now abandoned

2. (Amended). A pharmaceutical composition comprising an antihypertensive, antiischaemic or angina - alleviating effective amount of the besylate salt of amlodipine as claimed in claim 1 together with a pharmaceutically acceptable diluent or carrier.

3. (Amended). A tablet formulation comprising an antihypertensive, antiischaemic or angina - alleviating effective amount of the besylate salt of amlodipine as claimed in claim 1 in admixture with excipients.